

## KEY DATES FOR THE 2012 FOOTBALL SEASON

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### Registrations & Team announcements

- Online Registrations will be available from 1 February 2012.
- Teams will start to be announced from the week of 5 March 2012.

### 2012 Competitions

- **In-house League**
  - For Grades **10 & 11 Boys**, we will run an in-house league at Bill McKinley Park.
  - This competition replaces the old Tamaki League but guarantees us regular uninterrupted football all season.
  - Our first game will be Saturday 28th April with the last game scheduled for 28th August 2012
  - Games will be scheduled between 8.30am and 11.30am.
- **Auckland Football Federation (AFF)**
  - AFF Leagues will start the week of 21st April 2012.
  - Metro Leagues will start that weekend too.
  - This is the last weekend of the School Holidays with Term two starting 23 April 2012.

### Trials

- Any player wanting to play in their grades top teams (normally the top four teams in every grade, will need to trial).
- All top teams will play in the AFF or Metro Leagues
- There will be two opportunities to trial
  - Sunday 12th February
  - Sunday 19th February
  - All Trials will be held at Madill's Farm
  - A Timetable per grade will be available on our website by 16 January.

### Pre Season Conditioning

- We will be running a Pre season Conditioning/Speed Program
- The program starts the week of 6 February and runs for 8 weeks.
- Space is limited but anyone wishing to register can do so online from 16th January 2012

## 2012 Game formats – A change from previous years.

As per the NZ "Whole of Football Plan", Auckland Football has changed the formats for youth football.

Details are below but in summary, the biggest change is the move from 7 aside to 9 aside for Boys and the Girls moving to 9 aside at 13th Grade.

ASB Mini Football	Format	Game Length	Min Field Size	Max Field Size	Ball	Offside	GK's	Min Goal Size	Max Goal Size
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys	7v7	2 x 25 = 50	45m x 30m	55m x 35m	4	No	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	5v5	2 x 25 = 50	30m x 20m	35m x 25m	4	No	No	1.8m x 0.90m	2m x 1m
10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys	7v7	2 x 25 = 50	45m x 30m	55m x 35m	4	No	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	7v7	2 x 25 = 50	45m x 30m	55m x 35m	4	No	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys	9v9	2 x 27.5 = 55	60m x 45m	70m x 50m	4	Yes	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	7v7	2 x 27.5 = 55	45m x 30m	55m x 35m	4	Yes	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys	9v9	2 x 27.5 = 55	60m x 45m	70m x 50m	4	Yes	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	7v7	2 x 27.5 = 55	45m x 30m	55m x 35m	4	Yes	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
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13 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys	11v11	2 x 27.5 = 55		70 x 100m Optimal FS	5	Yes	Yes	7.34m x 2.44m	7.34m x 2.44m
13 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	9v9	2 x 27.5 = 55	60m x 45m	70 x 50m	4	Yes	Yes	4m x 2m	4m x 2m
14 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys 14 <sup>th</sup> Metro Boys	11v11 11v11	2 x 27.5 = 55 2 x 35 = 70	.	70m x 100m Optimal FS	5	Yes	Yes	7.34m x 2.44m	7.34m x 2.44m
14 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls	11v11	2 x 27.5 = 55		70m x 100m Optimal FS	5	Yes	Yes	7.34 m x 2.44m	7.34m x 2.44m